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WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

March 15, 1956

The Honorable Allen W. Dulles
Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, D. C.

Dear Allen:

Thank you very much for your letter of March 10th.

In view of the pioneering nature of the [redacted] operation within O.D.M., I think it would be fairer to Mr. [redacted] if the present arrangement were extended until January 1, 1957. At that time I feel that the situation could be reviewed and a determination made as to whether he should be transferred to O.D.M.

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If this is satisfactory from your point of view, I would certainly be delighted if you could see your way clear to submit the matter to your Supergrade Review Board.

Sincerely yours,

(Signed) Arthur

Arthur S. Flemming
Director

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The Honorable Arthur S. Fleming
 Director
 Office of Defense Mobilization
 Executive Office of the President
 Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Arthur:

Thank you for your letter of 2 March. I am very pleased to learn that [redacted] is of very real assistance to you in acting as your [redacted]

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Although I have no objection to his detail to your Office being continued beyond 9 March 1956, I suggest that you may wish to consider his transfer to your organization, assuming such action were agreeable to all concerned, since you indicate that his services would be desired for an indefinite period of time and you also feel that his performance is worthy of advancement to the grade of GS-16.

Otherwise, I shall arrange to have the question of his promotion to GS-16 submitted to our Supergrade Review Board.

Sincerely,

Allen W. Dulles
 Director

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